

Mt. Vernon Signal

MT. VERNON, KY., DEC. 11, 1896.

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L. & N. LOCAL TIME CARD.

Day Mail North..... 11:30 a.m.
Day Mail South..... 2:01 p.m.
Night Ex North..... 2:12 a.m.
Night Ex South..... 1:06 a.m.
J. H. KENNEDY, Agent.

MASONIC.

Ashland Lodge No. 640 meets every Second Monday at 1 p.m.

CHURCHES.

Christian—Holds services 3rd Sunday at 11 a.m. and at 6:30 p.m.—Rev. Joseph Ballou, pastor.
Presbyterian—Holds services on the 4th Sunday—Rev. L. M. Scroggs, pastor.

LOCAL OTHERWISE.

Xmas cards at Williams' drug store.

Fresh Bakers' bread at H. J. Freeman's.

Come to the SIGNAL office for Court blanks.

S. L. Whitehead is in from Big Stone Gap, Va.

For the best and lowest priced groceries go to Ed. B. Cox.

Books and games in large quantities at Williams' drugstore.

John Boring, of Nashville, is visiting his brothers and sister at this place.

Fay Crudup left Saturday on his bicycle for Nashville, via Stanford, Glasgow, and other points.

J. W. Brown, of Pulaski county, who has been teaching at Livingston, passed through here Saturday last en route home.

John Mullins, Geo. Pope, Walter Saunders, Walter Everett, Wm. Tubbs and others were up from Livingston at the Michael trial.

'Charles Simpson and A. Gustavson was in from the Line Creek stove mill Sunday and report every thing in good shape in and around the mill.

S. W. Davis, our saddler, has returned from Tennessee, accompanied by his handsome half sister, Miss Lula Boleyn, who will spend some weeks here.

Our whothy post-mistress, Mrs. Cleo Brown, has been on the sick list for the past week but we are pleased to see her back in the office again.

Livingston has the best barbers in Kentucky. Mac Moore is one of the most gentlemanly behaved colored men you will meet in many days' travel.

Conductors Hawkes, Groves and O'Day, of the K. C., have our thanks for courtesies shown while on their road. The K. C. have good people in charge.

See "ad" in this issue of the Cincinnati Weekly Enquirer which is considered one of the best in the Ohio valley. The Enquirer and SIGNAL for \$1.35.—The Enquirer \$1.

On Wednesday afternoon our boyhood friend, N. M. Shumate, a substantial farmer of the Brodhead neighborhood, was married to Mrs. Annie Durmon. May happiness be theirs.

Let the people know that you are a candidate by making your announcement in the papers. It carries weight and often carries the nomination. Don't forget the newspapers.

James Wood, of Livingston lost a horse, and he advertised in the SIGNAL. Jim Hayes, at Wildie, saw the "ad" and notified Mr. Wood that he had taken the horse up. Advertise in the SIGNAL to reach the people.

WITHERS Pays the Freight. If you want something nice in Furniture, or any useful present for Christmas. Call on W. W. Withers, Stanford, Ky. You can furnish your home complete with carpets, chairs, wall paper, &c.

Go to Williams' drugstore and buy your wife a nice lamp.

Go to S. W. Prewitt's with your eggs and get the cash for them.

The weekly Cincinnati Enquirer and the SIGNAL one year for \$1.35.

Go to Williams' drugstore and buy a nice gold ring, Necklace or Bracelet.

Williams' drugstore is headquarters for Dolls, Tin and China Toys for children.

S. G. Carson, of Livingston, and Mac Moore, the barber, enrolled their names for our paper.

Five of John Nevil's children have been admitted to the Masonic Widow's and Orphans' Home.

H. J. Freeman has opened up a family grocery store on East Main and is doing a nice business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ware, of Somerset, have been visiting Mrs. Ware's mother, Mrs. E. Bullock, of Level Green.

WANTED—Good men to sell Lubricating Oil, Soap and Specialties on commission. Address Traders Oil Co., Cleveland, O.

Crudup & Company's quarry at Langford, has closed down for the winter. They will open up on a larger scale in the Spring. They have an immense quarry and do a large business.

Geo. Barclay, of the Conway neighborhood, who was sent to the penitentiary for nine months was pardoned when a message was received of his wife's death. He had almost served his time.

Tom Stewart, who bet against McKinley carrying Kentucky, says he has not lost as McKinley lacked one electoral vote of doing so. In legal phraseology is this not a technicality that would hold good?

W. V. Jones, formerly of this place, is running a successful butcher shop and restaurant at Pittsburg. He has two splendid shoemakers sewing machines. Singer make, for various kinds of work—for sale cheap.

Come! come, everybody and see our immense stock of Xmas goods. We will take pleasure in showing you whether you buy or not. Our stock is too large to mention each article. So come and see for yourself. M. C. & D. N. WILLIAMS.

T. Q. Michael, who G. W. Morgan had arrested in Louisville and brought here and jailed on the charge of embezzling funds of the firm of Morgan & Michael, butchers, at Livingston, was discharged on his examining trial, Tuesday.

J. D. Franklin, for years a locomotive engineer and lately of the A. M. road at Altamont, has accepted a position with the Crescent Milling Company, Cynthia, Ky., as traveling salesman. His headquarters will be at Livingston where he has rented property.

Peter Heron died at Brodhead Wednesday of dropsy, and was buried Thursday afternoon with Masonic honors. The deceased was for many years foreman of the stone gang on the L. & N. and was universally respected for his many noble qualities as a citizen.

Logan DeBord, a son of Fred DeBord, Hamlet, Ill., who moved from Rockcastle 22 years since is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Sue Mullins and other relatives at Livingston. Mr. DeBord, says 40,000 bushels of corn was raised on his father's farm this year which is selling at 15c a bushel.

We are determined to run the best local county paper in the mountains and as for that matter, in the State. We will have the county news above all else and a sprinkling of general news besides. The encouragement we have received is so flattering that we have made arrangements for more type, material, &c., and will visit every part of the county frequently and show the people what we are here for. Get our prices on job work before sending it from the county.

Jeff Pennington is buying game and paying good prices.

Full line of groceries at bottom prices, at H. J. Freeman's.

S. W. Davis can neatly repair your shoes with an invisible patch.

Bring your hides to S. W. Davis and get a high cash price for them.

James Russell and Mrs. Nannie Head were married at this place Wednesday.

Dressmaking by Mrs. A. Pennington and daughter, near the Baptist church.

Just think! S. W. Davis can fit your horse in a leather collar for 80c; No. 1 cloth collar 25c.

Take your hides, feathers, ginseng, yellow root and produce to S. W. Prewitt. He pays cash.

Manicure Sets, work vases, Cuff boxes, Comb and brush sets, glove boxes, etc at Williams' drugstore.

Parties from Dunkirk, N. Y., and other Eastern States, have ordered our paper to gain information on oil prospects in Rockcastle county.

If you have any guttering, roofing, and work in that line don't forget R. L. Salyers, of London. He can give you satisfaction and low prices.

We will open about the 12th of December the largest line of Xmas goods ever brought to Mt. Vernon. We very cordially invite the public to call and see our stock before you buy elsewhere.

M. C. & D. N. WILLIAMS.

The highest market price paid for produce:

Eggs, per doz..... 15c
Chickens, per lb..... 4 1/2 to 5c
Turkeys, per lb..... 6c
Green hides, per lb..... 5 to 6c

A. PENNINGTON.

Luther Warren, raised by Judge Carter, of this place, now Superintendent of line construction, etc., for W. U. telegraph over the L. & N. road, passed up the line from Livingston to Richmond, Saturday. Of course, we didn't let him escape before adding his name to our already big list of subscribers.

To our Pittsburg friends we would say if you will see J. N. Reynolds, engineer for the Pittsburg Coal Company, he will tell you what we are doing to run a paper for the interest of the people. He will take your subscription, job work, etc. Mr. G. W. Baker, W. C. Webb and R. C. Randall would also be pleased to talk with you on the subject. All friends to our paper.

Breck Graves, of Livingston, seems to have struck a good thing. In his yard he has found three mineral springs which on being tried have cured a number of persons with various stomach diseases and other ailments. Mr. Graves means to push the matter and see what there is in the various waters by having them analyzed. Here's hoping he may grow rich and the people be healed. It is claimed by several who have been afflicted that they have been cured of troublesome ailments by the use of these waters.

The SIGNAL is strictly a local county paper and all the news that we can gather through our able corps of reporters, will appear in its columns. Every one knows what the politics of the paper is. Inasmuch as the campaign is over we deem it best to lay aside partisanship as far as practicable and work to the best advantage of all concerned as we see it for the benefit of the people irrespective of party. When the next campaign is opened we will be on deck and give the best we have in our shop for our side but continual harping by a local paper on the political affairs doesn't count for much, in our opinion, and therefore but little of it will appear until occasion requires it then we will jump on it with both feet. We are the people. Forty-nine actual subscribers have added their names to our list within the last sixteen days and more are on the mourners bench. They just won't do without it.

Ed, a son of David Griffin, was accidentally shot and killed by Chas. Harris near Sinks, last night. No particulars.

SIXTEEN-TO-ONE—On Saturday we gained sixteen new subscribers and lost one on account of sending him a notice through the post-office that he was in arrears to the paper before we purchased it.

Scheley Smith, a nephew of the editor, of Cleveland, Va., after visiting Kentucky relatives, left Monday last for home, horseback, a nice little animal which was presented by his uncle J. T. Hackley of Lincoln.

We will issue a Christmas supplement in addition to our regular issue the 25th. It will be mailed so as to reach the offices in the county on the 24. Advertising in this sheet, which will be the same size of the regular paper, (4 pages) will be charged for at the very low rate of 25 cents per inch. Send us your "ad".

See an announcement of Wallace Laswell, a candidate for sheriff. He is an old line Republican and means to let everybody know that he is a candidate and a man that will give the boys a pretty good fight for the nomination for the office of Sheriff. Our columns are open for other candidates of all parties at \$2.50 for each announcement. Come on.

We have just received an elegant line of fine jewelry, composed of Baby Rings, Plain and Set Rings, Breast Pins, Cuff Buttons, Scarf Pins, Shirt Studs, Ladies' and Gent's Watch Chains, Bracelets and Necklaces. In fact, a full line and we guarantee these to be gold and give satisfaction. Give us a call, and examine our stock before buying elsewhere.

M. C. & D. N. WILLIAMS.

We hope that those who expect to enter the Collegiate Institute in the near future, will not wait until the next term but enter at once or at the close of the public schools. It will assist in giving better classification and we think it will be better than to remain out of school during the month which yet remains of the first term. Our progress depends in great measure upon the pupils who come to us. We appeal to the citizens and friends of the school to give us your patronage.

L. M. SCROGGS, Principal.

Mt Vernon Local MARKET.

Corrected each week by E. B. COX dealer in Groceries, Hardware, Shoes and produce

Butter	12 1-2c
Eggs	12 1-2c
Chickens	4 1-2
Fresh Pork	6@7
Fresh Pork per 100 lbs	4.00
Beef	4@8
Hogs	3
Cattle	2
Hides—dry	6@8
Hides—green	4 1-2
Onions—per bu	\$1.00
Potatoes, per bu	40
Corn, per bu	30
Turnips	35
Beans, per bu	00
Apples, per bu	75
Apples, dry	2 1-4
Shipstuf, per 100 lbs	75
Turkeys, dressed	10
on foot	8 1-3
Tallow	3

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I am now prepared to Clean and Dye all kinds of Ladies and Gentlemen's garments. Also ribbons, feathers, silk and crepe shawls, silk waists, silk dresses, &c. Fancy colored silks and Gents' evening suits cleaned to look like new by the French Chemical Dry Process.

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COURT CALENDAR.

COUNTY COURT—Fourth Monday in each month.

QUARTERLY COURT—First Monday in January, April, July and October.

CIRCUIT COURT—Second Monday in February, Fourth Monday in May and Third Monday in September.

MT VERNON POLICE COURT—Third Monday in each month.

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